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July 13, 2005

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

This is a request for filing a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of pending prior application Serial No. 09/741,912 filed on December 22, 2000. The present application data includes:

Application No.: 09/741,912

Filed : December 22, 2000
Applicants : Shuji MIYASAKA et al.

Title : PARALLEL SIGNAL PROCESSING DEVICE FOR A PORTABLE

AUDIO SYSTEM

Art Unit : 2644 Examiner : Graham, A. Attorney Doc. : 0074/006001

A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed. A petition for a three (3) months extension of time is filed concurrently herewith to maintain copendency.

The required fees are calculated below:

RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) \$790.00 Three Months Extension of Time Fee \$1,020.00

TOTAL FEE DUE: \$1,810.00

The \$1,810.00 fee for filing this application is currently due. Please charge this fee to the Credit Card number listed on the attached Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038 form), referencing Attorney Docket No. 0074/006001. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached. It is believed that this fee covers all of the required fees for filing this application, however, if any additional fees are required, please charge these required fees to Deposit Account No. 19-2586, referencing Attorney Docket No. 0074/006001.

If any additional fee is required, or if it appears that a telephone conference would help to advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned at 202-530-5900.

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Respectfully submitted,

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